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SUBJECT: MESA STUDY TEAM

FOR SCIENCE ATTACHE DR. CLYDE MCCLELLAND

DR. MCCLELLAND PLEASE PASS TO

A) WALTER SCHMASE, MINISTERIALRAT, BUNDESMINISTERIUM FÜR  
WIRTSCHAFT UND FINANZEN, 5300 BN - DUISBURG WILLEMOMBLER STR.,  
BONN

B) KARL ROTTGER, BETRIEBSDIREKTOR, RUHRKOHLE AG, 4300 ESSEN  
RELLING-HAUSER STR. 1, BONN

MINING ENFORCEMENT AND SAFETY ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF THE  
INTERIOR, STUDY TEAM INCLUDES: RICHARD KLINE, DENVER TECHNICAL  
SUPPORT CENTER; AND JOHN STEVENSON, PITTSBURGH TECHNICAL  
SUPPORT CENTER.

THEY ARE TO VISIT MINES AND DISCUSS DETAILED ENGINEERING,  
APPLICATION DATA ON CROSS-MEASURE METHANE DRAINAGE TECHNIQUES  
AS PRACTICED IN GERMANY. ALSO, TO DETERMINE IF TECHNIQUES  
CAN BE APPLIED AS A METHOD FOR IMPROVED GOB AREA METHANE  
CONTROL IN US. PRIMARILY INTERESTED IN SAFETY PERFORMANCE,  
HISTORY OF TECHNIQUES, DRILLING APPLICATIONS, OPTIMUM ANGULAR  
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AND LATERAL PLACEMENT OF BORE HOLES METHANE PUMPING TECHNIQUES

AND DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS OF DRAINAGE PIPELINE SYSTEM.

PLEASE PROPOSE ITINERARY FOR VISIT, TENTATIVE ARRIVAL 23  
FEBRUARY AND DEPARTURE ON 1 MARCH 1975 TO UNITED KINGDOM.  
SPECIFY MOST CONVENIENT AIRPORTS FOR ARRIVAL AND FOR DEPARTURE  
TO ENGLAND. KISSINGER

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